INDEPENDENT AUDITOR'S REPORTS BASIC FINANCIAL STATEMENTS AND SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION SCHEDULE OF FINDINGS

JUNE 30, 2013

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OFFICIALS

Lynn Kueck	Mayor	December 2017
Chad Besch	Council Member	December 2015
Sara Curtis	Council Member	December 2015
Josh Aanonson	Council Member	December 2017
Harley Kohlhaas	Council Member	December 2017
Kim Weaver	Council Member	December 2017
Paige Hollinger	Council Member	December 2105
Keri Navratil	City Administrator	Indefinite
Rexann McEnroe	Clerk	Indefinite
Paul Doster	Attorney	Indefinite



Independent Auditor's Report

To the Honorable Mayor and Members of the City Council:

Report on the Financial Statements

We have audited the accompanying financial statements of the governmental activities, the business type activities, the discretely presented component unit, each major fund and the aggregate remaining fund information of the City of Algona, Iowa, as of and for the year ended June 30, 2013, and the related notes to the financial statements, which collectively comprise the City's basic financial statements listed in the table of contents.

Management's Responsibility for the Financial Statements

Management is responsible for the preparation and fair presentation of these financial statements in accordance with the cash basis of accounting described in Note 1. This includes determining the cash basis of accounting is an acceptable basis for the preparation of the financial statements in the circumstances. This includes the design, implementation and maintenance of internal control relevant to the preparation and fair presentation of financial statements that are free from material misstatement, whether due to fraud or error.

Auditor's Responsibility

Our responsibility is to express opinions on these financial statements based on our audit. We conducted our audit in accordance with U.S. Generally Accepted Auditing Standards and the standards applicable to financial audits contained in *Government Auditing Standards*, issued by the Comptroller General of the United States. Those standards require that we plan and perform the audit to obtain reasonable assurance about whether the financial statements are free from material misstatement.

An audit involves performing procedures to obtain audit evidence about the amounts and disclosures in the financial statements. The procedures selected depend on the auditor's judgment, including the assessment of the risks of material misstatement of the financial statements, whether due to fraud or error. In making those risk assessments, the auditor considers internal control relevant to the City's preparation and fair presentation of the financial statements in order to design audit procedures that are appropriate in the circumstances, but not for the purpose of expressing an opinion on the effectiveness of the City's internal control. Accordingly, we express no such opinion. An audit also includes evaluating the appropriateness of accounting policies used and the reasonableness of significant accounting estimates made by management, as well as evaluating the overall presentation of the financial statements.

We believe the audit evidence we have obtained is sufficient and appropriate to provide a basis for our audit opinions.

Opinions

In our opinion, the financial statements referred to above present fairly, in all material respects, the respective cash basis financial position of the governmental activities, the business type activities, the discretely presented component unit, each major fund and the aggregate remaining fund information of the City of Algona as of June 30, 2013, and the respective changes in cash basis financial position for the year then ended in accordance with the basis of accounting described in Note 1.

Basis of Accounting

As described in Note 1, these financial statements were prepared on the basis of cash receipts and disbursements, which is a basis of accounting other than U.S. generally accepted accounting principles. Our opinion is not modified with respect to this matter.

Other Matters

Supplementary Information

Our audit was conducted for the purpose of forming opinions on the financial statements that collectively comprise the City of Algona's basic financial statements. We previously audited, in accordance with the standards referred to in the third paragraph of this report, the financial statements for the nine years ended June 30, 2012 (which are not presented herein) and expressed qualified opinions on the financial statements for the years ended June 30 2012, 2011, 2010, 2009, 2008, 2007, 2005 and 2004. An adverse opinion was issued for the financial statements for the year ended June 30, 2006. All of financial statements during those years were prepared on the basis of cash receipts and disbursements. The supplementary information included in Schedules 1 through 5 is presented for purposes of additional analysis and is not a required part of the basic financial statements.

The supplementary information is the responsibility of management and was derived from and relates directly to the underlying accounting and other records used to prepare the basic financial statements. Such information has been subjected to the auditing procedures applied in the audit of the basic financial statements and certain additional procedures, including comparing and reconciling such information directly to the underlying accounting and other records used to prepare the basic financial statements or to the basic financial statements themselves, and other additional procedures in accordance with U.S. generally accepted auditing standards. In our opinion, the supplementary information is fairly stated in all material respects in relation to the basic financial statements taken as a whole.

Other Information

The other information, Management's Discussion and Analysis, the budgetary comparison information, and the schedule of financial information on pages 4-10, 26-27, and pages 33-35 has not been subjected to the auditing procedures applied in the audit of the basic financial statements and, accordingly, we do not express an opinion or provide any assurance on it.

Other Reporting Required by Government Auditing Standards

In accordance with *Government Auditing Standards*, we have also issued our report dated February 12, 2014 on our consideration of the City of Algona's internal control over financial reporting and on our tests of its compliance with certain provisions of laws, regulations, contracts and grant agreements and other matters. The purpose of that report is to describe the scope of our testing of internal control over financial reporting and compliance and the results of that testing and not to provide an opinion on the internal control over financial reporting or on compliance. That report is an integral part of an audit performed in accordance with *Government Auditing Standards* in considering City of Algona's internal control over financial reporting and compliance.

T.P. Anderson & Company, P.C.

February 12, 2014

MANAGEMENT'S DISCUSSION AND ANALYSIS

The City of Algona, Iowa (the City) provides this Management's Discussion and Analysis of its primary government financial statements. This narrative overview and analysis of the financial activities is for the fiscal year ended June 30, 2013. We encourage readers to consider this information in conjunction with the City of Algona's financial statements, which follow.

2013 FINANCIAL HIGHLIGHTS

- Receipts of the City's governmental activities decreased 6%, or approximately \$394,000, from fiscal 2012 to fiscal 2013. The decrease in receipts was the result of bond proceeds received in fiscal year 2012 and none in 2013.
- Disbursements increased approximately \$895,000 in fiscal 2013 from fiscal 2012. Capital project disbursements increased approximately \$568,000, public safety disbursements increased \$285,000, while disbursements for public works decreased by approximately \$144,000.
- The City's total cash basis net position decreased \$430,000 from June 30, 2012 to June 30, 2013. Of this amount, the assets of the governmental activities decreased approximately \$218,000 and the assets of the business type activities decreased by approximately \$212,000.

USING THIS ANNUAL REPORT

The annual report consists of a series of financial statements and other information as follows:

Management's Discussion and Analysis introduces the basic financial statements and provides an analytical overview of the City's financial activities.

The Government-wide Financial Statement consists of a Statement of Activities and Net Position – Cash Basis. This statement provides information about the activities of the City as a whole and presents an overview of the City's finances.

The Fund Financial Statements tell how governmental services were financed in the short term as well as what remains for future spending. Fund financial statements report the City's operations in more detail than the government-wide statement by providing information about the most significant funds.

Notes to Financial Statements provide additional information essential to a full understanding of the data provided in the basic financial statements.

Other Information further explains and supports the financial statements with a comparison of the City's budget for the year; it also provides detailed property tax information.

Supplementary Information provides detailed information about the nonmajor governmental and proprietary funds and the City's indebtedness.

Basis of Accounting

The City maintains its financial records on the basis of cash receipts and disbursements and the financial statements of the City are prepared on that basis. The cash basis of accounting does not give effect to accounts receivable, accounts payable and accrued items. Accordingly, the financial statements do not present financial position and results of operations of the funds in accordance with accounting principles generally accepted in the United States. Therefore, when reviewing the financial information and discussion within this annual report, the reader should keep in mind the limitations resulting from the use of the cash basis of accounting.

REPORTING THE CITY'S FINANCIAL ACTIVITES

Government-wide Financial Statement

One of the most important questions asked about the City's finances is, "Is the City as a whole better off or worse off as a result of the year's activities?" The Statement of Activities and Net Position – Cash Basis reports information which helps answer this question.

The Statement of Activities and Net Position – Cash Basis presents the City's net position. Over time, increases or decreases in the City's net position may serve as a useful indicator of whether the financial position of the City is improving or deteriorating.

The Statement of Activities and Net Position is divided into two kinds of activities:

- Governmental Activities include public safety, public works, health and social services, culture and recreation, community and economic development, general government, debt service and capital projects. Property tax and state and federal grants finance most of these activities.
- Business-Type Activities include the sanitary sewer system, the storm sewer system, the ambulance service, and the housing program fund. These activities are financed primarily by user charges.

Fund Financial Statements

The City has two kinds of funds:

1) Governmental funds account for most of the City's basic services. These focus on how money flows into and out of those funds, and the balances at year-end that are available for spending. The governmental funds include: 1) the General Fund, 2) the Special Revenue Funds, such as Road Use Tax and Urban Renewal Tax Increment, 3) the Debt Service Fund, 4) the Capital Projects Fund and 5) the Permanent Fund. The governmental fund financial statements provide a detailed, short-term view of the City's general government operations and the basic services it provides. Governmental fund information helps determine whether there are more or fewer financial resources that can be spent in the near future to finance the City's programs.

The required financial statements for governmental funds include a statement of cash receipts, disbursements and changes in cash balances.

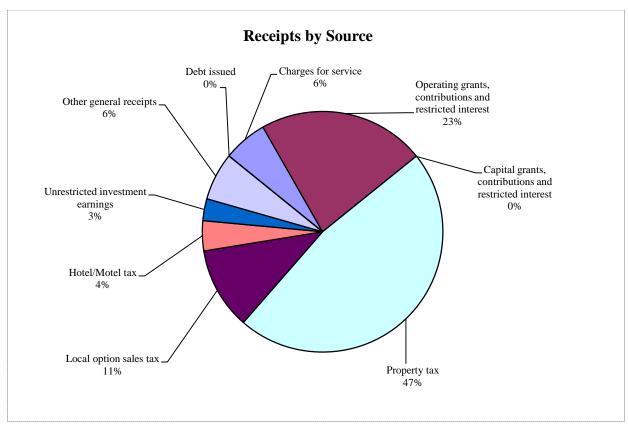
2) Proprietary funds account for the City's Enterprise Funds. Enterprise Funds are used to report business-type activities. The City maintains four Enterprise Funds to provide separate information for the Sewer, Storm Sewer, Ambulance, and Housing Funds.

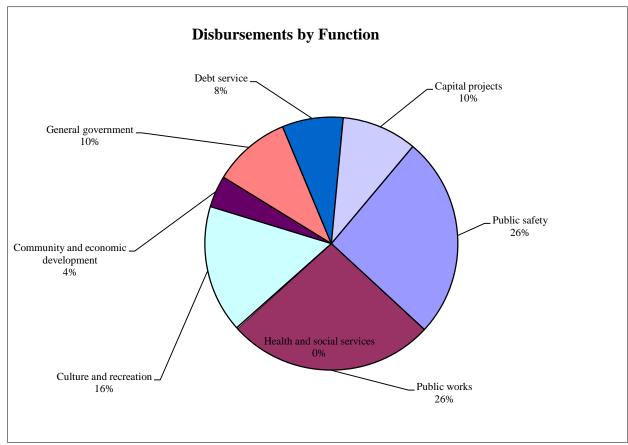
The required financial statements for proprietary funds include a statement of cash receipts, disbursements and changes in cash balances.

GOVERNMENT-WIDE FINANCIAL ANALYSIS

Net position may serve over time as a useful indicator of financial position. The City's cash balance for governmental activities decreased from a year ago, decreasing from \$4.9 million to \$4.7 million. The analysis that follows focuses on the changes in cash basis net position of governmental activities.

Changes in Cash Basis Net Position of Government (Expressed in Thousands)	ntal Ac	ctivities		
(Expressed in Thousands)		Year e	nded	June 30,
		2013		2012
Receipts:				
Program receipts:				
Charges for service	\$	371	\$	480
Operating grants, contributions and restricted interest	,	896	·	808
Capital grants, contributions and restricted interest		_		161
General receipts:				
Property tax		2,953		2,916
Local option sales tax		690		555
Hotel/motel tax		252		244
Grants and contributions not restricted to specific purposes		508		451
Unrestricted interest on investment		8		14
Other general receipts		577		381
Debt issued		_		639
Total receipts		6,255		6,649
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Disbursements:				
Public safety		1,720		1,435
Public works		1,765		1,909
Health and social services		10		10
Culture and recreation		1,088		1,247
Community and economic development		271		123
General government		662		699
Debt service		521		287
Capital projects		642		74
Total disbursements		6,679		5,784
Increase (decrease) in cash basis net position before transfers		(424)		865
Transfers, net		206		264
Increase (decrease) in cash basis net position		(218)		1,129
Cash basis net position beginning of year		4,918		3,789
Cash basis net position end of year	<u>\$</u>	4,700	\$	4,918





The City's total receipts for governmental activities decreased by 6%, or approximately \$394,000. The total cost of all programs and services increased by approximately \$895,000 or 13%, with no new programs added

this year. The City did however, complet a number of large projects in fiscal year 2013 such as the dowtown alleyway, community sidewalks, sample street, and the airport taxiway project.

The cost of all governmental activities this year was approximately \$6.7 million compared to \$5.7 million last year. However, as shown in the Statement of Activities and Net Position on page 11, the amount taxpayers ultimately financed for these activities was only \$5.4 million because some of the cost was paid by those directly benefited from the programs (\$371,428) or by other governments and organizations that subsidized certain programs with grants, receipts, including intergovernmental aid and fees for service (\$896,063). The City paid for the remaining "public benefit" portion of governmental activities with approximately \$3.9 million in taxes (some of which could only be used for certain programs), and with other receipts, such as interest and general entitlements.

Changes in Cash Basis Net Position of Business-T (Expressed in Thousands)	ype A	ctivities	
(Expressed in Thousands)		Year ende	ed June 30,
		2013	2012
Receipts:			
Program receipts:			
Charges for service:			
Sewer	\$	838	809
Storm Sewer		128	122
Ambulance		571	541
Housing		33	41
General receipts:			
Unrestricted interest on investments		1	3
Intergovernmental (sewer)		_	51
Miscellaneous		_	7
Debt issued		_	657
Total receipts		1,571	2,231
Disbursements:			
Sewer		853	1,508
Storm Sewer		177	113
Ambulance		526	553
Housing		21	26
Total disbursements and transfers		1,577	2,200
Increase in cash basis net position before transfers		(6)	31
Transfers		(206)	(264)
Increase (decrease) in cash basis net position		(212)	(233)
Cash basis net position beginning of year		1,591	1,824
Cash basis net position end of year	\$	1,379	1,591

Total business type activities receipts declined in fiscal year 2013 to approximately \$1.6 million from approximately \$2.2 last year. The reduction is mainly due to grant and bond proceeds received in previous year.

INDIVIDUAL MAJOR GOVERNMENTAL FUND ANALYSIS

As the City of Algona completed the year, its governmental funds reported a combined fund balance of \$4,700,412, a decrease of \$217,586 from last year's total of \$4,917,998. The following are the major reasons for the changes in fund balances of the major funds from the prior year.

- The General Fund cash balance increased by \$16,000 to \$2,658,000, due to planned expenditures that were budgeted, but ended up not being necessary.
- The Employee Benefits Fund Balance collected \$736,368 in property tax which was used to fund employee benefits.
- The Local Option Sales Tax Revenue Fund (LOST) increased from \$792,403 to \$951,830 during the fiscal year. The increase of \$160,000 was due to sales tax collections exceeding projected revenues as planned.
- The Road Use Tax Fund increased its cash balance in 2013 by approximately \$145,000. The increase is due to the regular operations of the fund.

INDIVIDUAL MAJOR BUSINESS TYPE FUND ANALYSIS

- The Sewer Fund cash balance decreased by \$221,000 to \$658,000, due primarily to the capital expenditures for the City's wastewater treatment facilities.
- The Ambulance Fund had an increase in fund balance of 45,000, which included \$13,000 in capital expenditures.

BUDGETARY HIGHLIGHTS

Over the course of the year, the City amended its budget once. The amendment was approved on May 20, 2013 and resulted in an increase in operating disbursements in several budgeted areas, most significantly in public works and general government budget areas. The amendment also increased budgeted cash receipts from areas such as other city tax, use of money and property and miscellaneous. The City did not exceed budgeted amounts, as amended, for the fiscal year ended June 30, 2013.

COMPONENT UNIT

Condensed financial information has been presented for Algona Municipal Utilities (see Note 14). Complete financial statements for Algona Municipal Utilities for the year ended December 31, 2012 are available at 104 West Call Street, Algona, Iowa.

DEBT ADMINISTRATION

At June 30, 2013, the City had approximately \$4 million in bonds and other long-term debt, compared to approximately \$4.5 million last year, as shown below.

Outstanding De	bt at Year-End			
(Expressed in	Thousands)			
_		Year e	nded.	June 30,
		2013		2012
General obligation bonds	\$	2,388	\$	2,787
Revenue notes		1,661		1,741
Total	<u>\$</u>	4,049	\$	4,528

Debt decreased as a result of paying down city debts as scheduled.

The Constitution of the State of Iowa limits the amount of general obligation debt cities can issue to 5% of the assessed value of all taxable property within the City's corporate limits. The City's outstanding general obligation debt of \$2,387,925 is significantly below its constitutional debt limit of \$15.6 million.

ECONOMIC FACTORS AND NEXT YEAR'S BUDGETS AND RATES

In completing the fiscal year 2014 budget the elected and appointed officials of Algona examined economic conditions to help determine estimated revenues and expenditures. The current economy in Algona has remained steady with no layoffs or shutdowns that have plagued other communities around the country.

Unemployment for Kossuth County decreased from one year ago. The current rate is 2.8% versus 3.5% in 2012. The county average is well below the state average, which is 5.2%. During the year revenues tied to the economy remained steady. Local option sales tax receipts exceeded estimates. Additionally, current changes in Iowa Code on utility franchise fees have assured that these revenues will remain a consistent revenue stream for the City of Algona.

Budget projections for fiscal year 2014/15 have not yet been completed. Revenues are expected to remain steady despite the commercial and industrial property tax rollback. The City expects the shortfall in property tax due to the rollback to be replaced by backfill funds provided by the State of Iowa. Taxable valuations have risen slightly, by approximately 2%. Road Use Tax receipts are expected to remain the same due to gas tax revenues charged by the State of Iowa. Capital projects for streets and roads will receive subsidies from the City's Local Option Sales Tax Fund.

It is expected that the property tax levy will remain for the most part, the same for fiscal year 2014/15 as debt issuances are retired. However, the City is planning two major capital projects, to replace the current city hall and to remodel the existing library. The full effect on the levy is not yet known, but will increase the rate beyond its current level.

CONTACTING THE CITY'S FINANCIAL MANAGEMENT

This financial report is designed to provide our citizens, taxpayers, customers, and creditors with a general overview of the Algona's finances and to show the City's accountability for the money it receives. If you have any questions about this report or need additional financial information, contact Rexann McEnroe, City Clerk, 112 West Call Street, Algona, Iowa 50511.



CASH BASIS STATEMENT OF ACTIVITIES AND NET POSITION AS OF AND FOR THE YEAR ENDED JUNE 30, 2013

				Program Receipts	
				Operating Grants	Capital Grants
				Contributions	Contributions
			Charges for	and Restricted	and Restricted
	Dis	sbursements	Service	Interest	Interest
Functions/Programs					
Governmental activities:					
Public safety	\$	1,719,808	-	151,219	-
Public works		1,764,657	-	724,822	-
Health and social services		9,937	-	-	-
Culture and recreation		1,088,260	371,428	20,022	-
Community and economic development		271,367	-	-	-
General government		661,605	-	-	-
Debt service		520,892	-	-	-
Capital projects		642,656		-	
Total government activities		6,679,182	371,428	896,063	
Business type activities:					
Sewer		853,158	837,544	-	-
Storm Sewer		176,709	128,051	-	-
Ambulance		526,082	570,528	-	-
Housing		20,741	33,465	-	
Total business type activities		1,576,690	1,569,588	-	
Total	\$	8,255,872	1,941,016	896,063	

General Receipts

Property tax levied for:

General purposes

Tax increment financing

Debt service

Local option sales tax

Hotel/motel and franchise tax

Grants and contributions not restricted to specific purposes

Unrestricted interest on investments

Miscellaneous

Transfers

Total general receipts and transfers

Change in cash basis net position

Cash beginning of year

Cash end of year

Cash Basis Net Position

Restricted

Nonexpendable:

Cemetery perpetual care

Library endowment

Expendable:

Streets

Debt service

Other purposes

Unrestricted

Net (Disbursements) Receipts and Changes in Cas	sh
Basis Net Position	

Go	overnmental	Business Type	
	Activities	Activities	Total
	(1,568,589)	_	(1,568,589)
	(1,039,835)	_	(1,039,835)
	(9,937)	-	(9,937)
		-	(696,810)
	(696,810)	-	(271,367)
	(271,367)	-	
	(661,605)	-	(661,605)
	(520,892) (642,656)	-	(520,892) (642,656)
	(042,030)		(042,030)
	(5,411,691)	-	(5,411,691)
	-	(15,614)	(15,614)
	_	(48,658)	(48,658)
	_	44,446	44,446
	-	12,724	12,724
		,	,
	-	(7,102)	(7,102)
	(5,411,691)	(7,102)	(5,418,793)
	2,559,294	_	2,559,294
	43,960	_	43,960
	349,403	_	349,403
	689,914	_	689,914
	252,325	_	252,325
	507,650	_	507,650
	8,237	1,350	9,587
	577,095	-	577,095
	206,227	(206,227)	-
		(= + +,== +)	
	5,194,105	(204,877)	4,989,228
	(217,586)	(211,979)	(429,565)
	4,917,998	1,590,874	6,508,872
\$	4,700,412	1,378,895	6,079,307
-			
\$	51,850		51,850
Φ	140,000	- -	140,000
	1.0,000		170,000
	510,697	-	510,697
	75,918	-	75,918
	2,080,285	-	2,080,285
	1,841,662	1,378,895	3,220,557
\$	4,700,412	1,378,895	6,079,307

STATEMENT OF CASH RECEIPTS, DISBURSEMENTS AND CHANGES IN CASH BALANCES GOVERNMENTAL FUNDS AS OF AND FOR THE YEAR ENDED JUNE 30, 2013

	-	Special Revenue			Other
	General	Employee Benefits	Road Use Tax	Local Option Sales Tax	Nonmajor Governmental Funds
Receipts:					
Property tax	\$ 1,793,329	736,368	-	-	422,960
Other city tax	252,325	-	-	689,914	-
Licenses and permits	38,544	-	-	-	-
Use of money and property	178,042	-	-	633	5,668
Intergovernmental	844,282	-	532,458	-	26,973
Charges for service	371,428	-	-	-	-
Special assessments	76,011	-	-	-	-
Miscellaneous	281,006	-	-	-	
	3,834,967	736,368	532,458	690,547	455,601
Disbursements:					
Public safety	1,690,213	-	-	-	29,595
Public works	1,351,490	-	387,495	-	25,672
Health and social services	9,937	-	-	-	-
Culture and recreation	1,088,260	-	-	-	-
Community and economic development	226,955	-	-	-	44,412
General government	661,605	-	-	-	-
Debt service	-	-	-	-	520,892
Capital projects		-	-	-	642,656
	5,028,460	-	387,495	-	1,263,227
Excess (deficiency) of receipts over (under) disbursements	(1,193,493)	736,368	144,963	690,547	(807,626)
Other financing sources (uses):					
Sale of Assets	5,428	-	-	-	-
Operating transfers in	1,394,221	-	-	30,000	297,868
Operating transfers out	(190,263)	(736,368)	-	(561,120)	(28,111)
	1,209,386	(736,368)	-	(531,120)	269,757
Net change in cash balances	15,893	-	144,963	159,427	(537,869)
Balance beginning of year	2,642,247	-	365,734	792,403	1,117,614
Balance end of year	\$ 2,658,140	-	510,697	951,830	579,745
Cash basis fund balance					
Nonspendable	\$ -	_	_	_	191,850
Restricted for:	y -				171,030
Debt service	_	_	_	_	75,918
Streets	_		510,697		75,710
Capital projects	-	-	310,097	-	158,572
Other purposes	95,308	-	-	951,830	156,381
Committed	511,059	-	-	931,030	150,561
Assigned	153,794	-	-	-	-
Unassigned	1,897,979	-	-	-	(2,976)
Total cash basis fund balances	\$ 2,658,140	-	510,697	951,830	579,745

See notes to financial statements.

Total
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2,952,657
942,239
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Total

Exhibit C

STATEMENT OF CASH RECEIPTS, DISBURSEMENTS AND CHANGES IN CASH BALANCES PROPRIETARY FUNDS AS OF AND FOR THE YEAR ENDED JUNE 30, 2013

			Other	
			Nonmajor	
	Sewer	Ambulance	Proprietary Funds	Total
Receipts	 Bewei	Timodianec	Tunus	Total
Charges for service	\$ 837,544	570,528	161,516	1,569,588
Disbursements				
Total operating disbursements	544,677	513,108	56,208	1,113,993
	544,677	513,108	56,208	1,113,993
Excess (deficiency) of operating receipts				
over (under) operating disbursements	292,867	57,420	105,308	455,595
Non-operating receipts (disbursements):				
Interest on investments	727	367	256	1,350
Capital Expenditures	(308,481)	(12,974)	(141,242)	(462,697)
Net non-operating receipts (disbursements)	(307,754)	(12,607)	(140,986)	(461,347)
Excess of receipts over disbursements	(14,887)	44,813	(35,678)	(5,752)
Other financing sources (uses):				
Operating transfers out	(206,227)	_	_	(206,227)
, 0	(206,227)	-	-	(206,227)
Net change in cash balances	(221,114)	44,813	(35,678)	(211,979)
Balance beginning of year	 878,931	535,122	176,821	1,590,874
Balance end of year	\$ 657,817	579,935	141,143	1,378,895
Cash Basis Fund Balances				
Unrestricted	\$ 657,817	579,935	141,143	1,378,895
	\$ 657,817	579,935	141,143	1,378,895

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(1) Summary of Significant Accounting Policies

The City of Algona is a political subdivision of the State of Iowa located in Kossuth County. It was first incorporated in 1872 and operates under the Home Rule provisions of the Constitution of Iowa. The City operates under the Mayor-Council form of government with the Mayor and Council Members elected on a non-partisan basis. The City provides numerous services to citizens including public safety, public works, health and social services, culture and recreation, community and economic development, and general government services. The City also provides sewer, storm sewer, and ambulance services to its citizens.

A. Reporting Entity

For financial reporting purposes, the City of Algona has included all funds, organizations, account groups, agencies, boards, commissions and authorities. The City has also considered all potential component units for which it is financially accountable, and other organizations for which the nature and significance of their relationship with the City are such that exclusion would cause the City's financial statements to be misleading or incomplete. The Governmental Accounting Standards Board (GASB) has set forth criteria to be considered in determining financial accountability. These criteria include appointing a voting majority of an organization's governing body, and (1) the ability of the City to impose its will on that organization or (2) the potential for the organization to provide specific benefits to, or impose specific financial burdens on the City. The City has a component unit, Algona Municipal Utilities, meeting this definition and is described in the following paragraph.

Discretely Presented Component Unit

The Algona Municipal Utilities Board, established under Chapter 388 of the Code of Iowa, is legally separate from the City, but has the potential to provide specific benefits to or impose specific burdens on the City. The Municipal Utilities is governed by a five-member board appointed by the Mayor and approved by the City Council. In accordance with the criteria set by the Governmental Accounting Standards Board, the Utility meets the definition of a component unit which should be discretely presented. Condensed financial statements presented in Note 14 were prepared accounting in conformity with accounting principles generally accepted in the United States. Complete financial statements, for the year ended December 31, 2012, can be obtained from the Municipal Utilities administration office, P.O. Box 10, 104 West Call Street, Algona, IA 50511.

Jointly Governed Organizations

The City participates in several jointly governed organizations that provide goods or services to the citizenry of the City but do not meet the criteria of a joint venture since there is no ongoing financial interest or responsibility by the participating governments. City officials are members of the following boards and commissions: Kossuth County Emergency Management Commission, Kossuth County E911 Board, and the North Iowa Council of Governments.

B. Basis of Presentation

<u>Government-wide Financial Statements</u> – The Statement of Activities and Net Position – Cash Basis reports information on all the nonfiduciary activities of the City. For the most part, the effect

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of interfund activity has been removed from this statement. Governmental activities, which are supported by tax and intergovernmental revenues, are reported separately from business-type activities, which rely to a significant extent on fees and charges for services.

This Cash Basis Statement of Activities and Net Position presents the City's nonfiduciary net position. Net position is reported in the following categories/components:

Nonexpendable restricted net position is subject to externally imposed stipulations which require them to be maintained permanently by the City, including the City's Permanent Fund.

Expendable restricted net position result when constraints placed on the use of cash balances are either externally imposed or imposed by law through constitutional provisions or enabling legislation.

Unrestricted net position consists of cash balances not meeting the definition of the preceding categories. Unrestricted net position often has constraints on resources imposed by management which can be removed or modified.

The Cash Basis Statement of Activities and Net Position demonstrates the degree to which the direct disbursements of a given function are offset by program receipts. Direct disbursements are those clearly identifiable with a specific function. Program receipts include 1) charges to customers or applicants who purchase, use or directly benefit from goods, services or privileges provided by a given function and 2) grants, contributions and interest on investments restricted to meeting the operational or capital requirements of a particular function. Property tax and other items not properly included among program receipts are reported instead as general receipts.

<u>Fund Financial Statements</u> – Separate financial statements are provided for governmental funds and proprietary funds. Major individual governmental funds and major individual enterprise funds are reported as separate columns in the fund financial statements. All remaining governmental funds are aggregated and reported as nonmajor governmental funds.

The City reports the following major governmental funds:

The General Fund is the general operating fund of the City. All general tax receipts from general and emergency levies and other receipts not allocated by law or contractual agreement to some other fund are accounted for in this fund. From the fund are paid the general operating disbursements, the fixed charges and the capital improvement costs that are not paid from other funds.

Special Revenue:

The Employee Benefits Fund is used to account for property tax levied specifically for employee benefits expenditures.

The Road Use Tax Fund is used to account for the road use tax received from the State of Iowa and the use of that money.

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The Local Option Sales Tax (LOST) Fund is utilized to account for the local option sales tax receipts and disbursements.

The City reports the following major proprietary funds:

The Ambulance Fund accounts for the operation and maintenance of the City's ambulance system.

The Sewer Fund accounts for operation and maintenance of the City's waste water treatment and sanitary sewer system.

C. Measurement Focus and Basis of Accounting

The City of Algona maintains its financial records on the basis of cash receipts and disbursements and the financial statements of the City are prepared on that basis. The cash basis of accounting does not give effect to accounts receivable, accounts payable, and accrued items. Accordingly, the financial statements do not present financial position and results of operations of the funds in accordance with the accounting principles generally accepted in the United States.

Under terms of grant agreements, the City funds certain programs by a combination of specific cost-reimbursement grants, categorical block grants and general receipts. Thus, when program disbursements are paid, there are both restricted and unrestricted cash basis assets available to finance the program. It is the City's policy to first apply cost-reimbursement grant resources to such programs, followed by categorical block grants and then by general receipts.

When a disbursement in governmental funds can be paid using either restricted or unrestricted resources, the City's policy is generally to first apply the disbursement toward restricted fund balance and then to less restrictive classifications - committed, assigned, and then unassigned fund balances.

Proprietary funds distinguish operating receipts and disbursements from non-operating items. Operating receipts and disbursements generally result from providing services and producing and delivering goods in connection with a proprietary fund's principal ongoing operations. All receipts and disbursements not meeting this definition are reported as non-operating receipts and disbursements.

D. Governmental Cash Basis Fund Balances

In the governmental fund financial statements, cash basis fund balances are classified as follows:

Nonspendable – Amounts which cannot be spent because they are legally or contractually required to be maintained intact.

Restricted – Amounts restricted to specific purposes when constraints placed on the use of the resources are either externally imposed by creditors, grantors, or state or federal laws or imposed by law through constitutional provisions or enabling legislation.

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Committed – Amounts restricted to specific purposes when constraints placed on the use of resources are internally imposed in formal action by the City Council.

Assigned – Amounts the Council intends to use for specific purposes.

Unassigned – All amounts not included in other spendable classifications.

E. Budgets and Budgetary Accounting

The budgetary comparison and related disclosures are reported as Other Information.

F. Subsequent Events

In preparing the financial statements, the Corporation has evaluated events and transactions for potential recognition or disclosure through February 12, 2014, the date the financial statements were issued.

(2) Cash and Investments

The City's deposits in banks at June 30, 2013 were entirely covered by federal depository insurance, or by the State Sinking Fund in accordance with Chapter 12C of the Code of Iowa. This chapter provides for additional assessments against the depositories to insure there will be no loss of public funds.

The City is authorized by statute to invest public funds in obligations of the United States government, its agencies and instrumentalities; certificates of deposit or other evidences of deposit at federally insured depository institutions approved by the City Council; prime eligible bankers acceptances; certain high rated commercial paper; perfected repurchase agreements; certain registered open-end management investment companies; and certain joint investment trusts and warrants or improvement certificates of a drainage district.

In addition, the City had investments in the Iowa Public Agency Investment Trust (IPAIT) which are valued at amortized cost of \$395,175, pursuant to Rule 2a-7 under the Investment Company Act of 1940. The City's investment in the Iowa Public Agency Investment Trust is unrated. More than 6% of the City's total cash and investments at June 30, 2013 were invested with IPAIT.

<u>Interest rate risk</u> - The City's investment policy limits the investment of operating funds (funds expected to be expended in the current budget year or within 15 months of receipt) in instruments that mature within 397 days. Funds not identified as operating funds may be invested in investments with maturities longer than 397 days but the maturities shall be consistent with the needs and use of the City.

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(3) Bonds and Notes Payable

Annual debt service requirements to maturity for Algona's general obligation bonds and revenue bonds are as follows:

Year	r General					
Ending	Obli	gation	Re	venue		
June 30.	N	otes	В	onds		Total
	Principal	<u>Interest</u>	<u>Principal</u>	<u>Interest</u>	<u>Principal</u>	<u>Interest</u>
2014	340,487	26,948	83,000	49,827	423,487	76,775
2015	345,487	24,968	86,000	47,337	431,487	72,305
2016	350,487	22,286	89,000	44,757	439,487	67,043
2017	360,487	18,888	92,000	42,087	452,487	60,975
2018	360,487	14,862	95,000	39,327	455,487	54,189
2019-2023	630,490	18,074	521,000	152,085	1,151,490	170,159
2024-2028	-	-	611,000	68,715	611,000	68,715
2029-2031	_		83,903	2,517	83,903	2,517
<u>\$</u>	2,387,925	<u>\$ 126,026</u>	<u>\$ 1,660,903</u>	<u>\$ 446,652</u>	\$ 4,048,828	<u>\$ 572,678</u>

Revenue Notes

The City has pledged future sewer customer receipts net of specific operating disbursements to repay \$2,151,000 in revenue bonds issued in September 2010. Proceeds from the notes provided financing for the improvements to the wastewater treatment system. The notes are payable solely from sewer customer net receipts and are payable through 2031. Annual principal and interest payments on the notes are expected to require 46% of net receipts. The total principal and interest remaining to be paid on the notes is \$2,107,555. For the current year, principal and interest paid and total customer net receipts were \$132,227 and \$292,867, respectively.

The resolutions providing for the issuance of the revenue bonds include the following provisions:

- (a) The notes will only be redeemed from the future earnings of the enterprise activity and the note holders hold a lien on the future earnings of the fund.
- (b) The notes require the system generate net revenues sufficient to 110% of the current year principal and interest installment.

A summary of changes in long-term debt for the year ended June 30, 2013 is as follows:

		General		_
	(Obligation	Revenue	
		Bonds	Bonds	Total
Balance, beginning of year	\$	2,741,368	1,740,903	4,482,271
Increases		-	-	-
Decreases		353,443	80,000	433,443
Balance, end of year	\$	2,387,925	1,660,903	4,048,828

Interest rates on the general obligation bonds range from 0.00 to 2.0%. Interest rates on the revenue bonds were 3.00%.

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(4) Pension and Retirement Benefits

The City contributes to the Iowa Public Employees Retirement System (IPERS) which is a cost-sharing multiple-employer defined benefit pension plan administered by the State of Iowa. IPERS provides retirement and death benefits, which are established by State statute to plan members and beneficiaries. IPERS issues a publicly available financial report that includes financial statements and required supplementary information. The report may be obtained by writing to IPERS, P. O. Box 9117, Des Moines, Iowa 50306-9117.

Most regular plan members are required to contribute 5.78% of their annual salary and the City is required to contribute 8.67% of annual covered payroll. Certain employees in special risk occupations and the City contribute an actuarially determined rate. Contribution requirements are established by state statute. The City's contribution to IPERS for the years ended June 30, 2013, 2012, and 2011 were \$167,619, \$154,850, and \$143,272 respectively, equal to the required contributions for each year.

The City maintains a pension plan for police personnel hired prior to March 1, 1967 and accounts for the pension in the Police Pension Fund. The plan is financed by property taxes levied by the City. The plan covers two retired individuals and has been closed to new participants since March 1, 1967. For the year ended June 30, 2013, the City contributed \$29,595 to the plan and the participants did not contribute to the plan.

(5) Other Postemployment Benefits (OPEB)

<u>Plan Description</u> – The City operates a single-employer retiree benefit plan which provides medical benefits for retirees and their spouses. There are 39 active members and 3 inactive member in the plan. Participants must be age 55 or older at retirement.

The medical benefits are provided through a fully-insured plan with TrueNorth. Retirees under age 65 pay the same premium for the medical/prescription drug benefits as active employees.

<u>Funding Policy</u> – The contribution requirements of plan members are established and may be amended by the City. The City currently finances the retiree benefit plan on a pay-as-you-go basis. The most recent active member monthly premiums for the City and plan members are approximately \$395 for single coverage and approximately \$1,205 for family coverage. The same monthly premiums apply to retirees. For the year ended June 30, 2013, the City contributed \$387,468 and plan members eligible for benefits contributed approximately \$45,228 to the plan.

(6) Compensated Absences

City employees accumulate a limited amount of earned but unused vacation and personal leave hours for subsequent use. Earned vacation is paid when used or when employment is terminated upon retirement or death. These accumulations are not recognized as expenditures by the City until they are used or paid.

Certain unused sick leave, while not payable to a City employee upon retirement, may be credited to a "benefit account". Amounts credited to the "benefit account" are based on an employee's pay rate, their accumulated sick leave hours, and their years of service. Funds deposited to these accounts may be used by a former employee for certain health care related expenses.

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The City's approximate liability for earned vacation and unused accumulated sick leave at June 30, 2013, primarily relating to the General Fund, is as follows:

Type of Benefit	Amount
Vacation	\$ 92,154
Sick Leave	414,148
Balance at June 30, 2013	\$ 506,302

This liability has been computed based on rates of pay in effect at June 30, 2013.

(7) Interfund Transfers

The detail of interfund transfers, for the year ended June 30, 2013 is as follows:

Transfer In	Transfer From	Amount
General	Local Option Sales Tax Trust and Agency-Employee Benefits Capital Project Enterprise-Sewer	\$ 561,120 736,368 28,111 <u>68,622</u> 1,394,221
LOST	General	30,000 30,000
Debt Service	General Enterprise-Sewer	87,164 137,605 224,769
Capital Projects	General	73,099 73,099
		\$ 1,722,089

Transfers generally move resources from the fund statutorily required to collect the resources to the fund statutorily required to disburse the resources.

(8) Local Government Risk Pool

The City is a member of the Iowa Communities Assurance Pool, as allowed by Chapter 670.7 of the Code of Iowa. The Iowa Communities Assurance Pool (Pool) is a local government risk sharing pool whose 679 members include various governmental entities throughout the State of Iowa. The Pool was formed in August 1986 for the purpose of managing and funding third-party liability claims against its members. The Pool provides coverage and protection in the following categories: general liability, automobile liability, automobile physical damage, public official's liability, police professional liability, property, inland marine and boiler/machinery. There have been no reductions in insurance coverage from prior years.

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Each member's annual casualty contributions to the Pool fund current operations and provide capital. Annual operating contributions are those amounts necessary to fund, on a cash basis, the Pool's general and administrative expenses, claims, claims expenses and reinsurance expenses due and payable in the current year, plus all or any portion of any deficiency in capital. Capital contributions are made during the first six years of membership and are maintained at a level determined by the Board not to exceed 300% of total current members' basis rates or to comply with the requirements of any applicable regulatory authority having jurisdiction over the Pool.

The Pool also provides property coverage. Members who elect such coverage make annual operating contributions which are necessary to fund, on a cash basis, the Pool's general and administrative expenses and reinsurance premiums, all of which are due and payable in the current year, plus all or any portion of any deficiency in capital. Any year-end operating surplus is transferred to capital. Deficiencies in operations are offset by transfers from capital and, if insufficient, by the subsequent year's member contributions.

The City's property and casualty contributions to the risk pool are recorded as disbursements from its operating funds at the time of payment to the risk pool. The City's contributions to the Pool for the year ended June 30, 2013 was \$170,609.

The Pool uses reinsurance and excess risk-sharing agreements to reduce its exposure to large losses. The Pool retains general, automobile, police professional, and public officials' liability risks up to \$350,000 per claim. Claims exceeding \$350,000 are reinsured in an amount not to exceed \$2,650,000 per claim. For members requiring specific coverage from \$3,000,000 to \$15,000,000, such excess coverage is also reinsured. Property and automobile physical damage risks are retained by the Pool up to \$250,000 each occurrence, each location, with excess coverage reinsured by Lexington Insurance Company.

The Pool's intergovernmental contract with its members provides that in the event a casualty claim or series of claims exceeds the amount of risk-sharing protection provided by the member's risk-sharing certificate, or in the event a series of casualty claims exhausts total members' equity plus any reinsurance and any excess risk-sharing recoveries, then payment of such claims shall be the obligation of the respective individual member. As of June 30, 2013, settled claims have not exceeded the risk pool or reinsurance coverage since the Pool's inception.

Members agree to continue membership in the Pool for a period of not less than one full year. After such period, a member who has given 60 days' prior written notice may withdraw from the Pool. Upon withdrawal, payments for all casualty claims and claims expenses become the sole responsibility of the withdrawing member, regardless of whether a claim was incurred or reported prior to the member's withdrawal. Members withdrawing within the first six years of membership may receive a partial refund of their casualty capital contributions. If a member withdraws after the sixth year, the member is refunded 100% of its casualty capital contributions. However, the refund is reduced by the amount of capital distributions previously received by the withdrawing member and an amount equal to the annual casualty operating contribution which the withdrawing member would have made for the one-year period following withdrawal.

The City also carries commercial insurance purchased from other insurers for coverage associated with workers compensation. The airport manager carries coverage for airport manager liability and proof of this coverage is provided to the City. The City assumes liability for any deductibles, and claims in excess of coverage limitations. Settled claims resulting from these risks have not exceeded commercial insurance coverage in any of the past three fiscal years.

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(9) Property Taxes

Property taxes are recognized as income when received in accordance with the cash basis of accounting. The property tax calendar is as follows for the City of Algona. Property taxes become liens on property as of July 1, 2012 and are payable in September 2012 and March 2013 of the fiscal year. The valuation for the taxes were based on January 1, 2011 assessed property valuations, and was based on a certified budget from March of 2012.

(10) Deficit Fund Balance

The Federal Grant Fund had a deficit balance of \$2,976 at June 30, 2013. The deficit fund balance in the Federal Grant Fund was the result of the airport project costs exceeding the grants dollars received. This deficit will be eliminated by future grant receipts.

(11) Committed and Assigned Fund Balance

The general fund included restricted funds of \$95,308, committed funds of \$511,059 and assigned funds of \$153,794 at June 30, 2013. The detail of these amounts is as follows:

Restricted	Amount
Economic development	\$ 46,501
K-9	2,030
Fire	38,593
Cemetery	8,184
Balance at June 30, 2013	\$ 95,308
Committed	Amount
TV Grant	\$ 139,045
Revolving Loan Fund	362,118
Sick Leave Conversion	9,896
Balance at June 30, 2013	<u>\$ 511,059</u>
Assigned	Amount
Drug Abuse Education	\$ 18,847
Self Insurance	72,075
Airport - FAA	10,114
Aquatic Center	52,758
Balance at June 30, 2013	\$ 153,794

(12) Contracts/Commitments

The City agreed in 2008 to contribute \$200,000 over the next five years to assist the local YMCA in a \$4.0 million dollar project to construct a new indoor swimming pool. The City's commitment was paid in total during the year ended June 30, 2013. In 2012, the City agreed to contribute \$30,000 to the Motor Sports Museum over a period of five years. The amount remaining on this commitment is \$18,000 at June 30, 2013.

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(13) Operating Leases

The City leases a copy machine under an operating lease agreement signed in August 2010 calling for 60 monthly payments of \$232. Future minimum lease payments due on this above operating lease is as follows:

Year Ended June 30,	Amount
2014	\$ 2,784
2015	2,784
2016	232
Total	\$ 5,800

(14) Algona Municipal Utilities

The Algona Municipal Utilities (Utility) provides water, electric, and communication services for the City of Algona, Iowa. As permitted by GASB Statement No. 34, the City has opted to present condensed financial information, from the Utility's financial statements which were prepared in accordance with accounting principles generally accepted in the United States of America, for it's discretely presented component unit. Following is the condensed financial information for the Utility for the year ended December 31, 2012.

Condensed Statements of Net Position							
	Electric			Water	Communications		
	De	epartment		Department	Department		
Assets				_	_		
Current assets	\$	4,601,619		679,182	1,395,629		
Capital assets, net of accumulated depreciation	4	24,872,297		3,661,106	3,279,819		
Other		13,005,370		139,446	235,192		
Total assets		42,479,286		4,479,734	4,910,640		
Liabilities							
Current liabilities		3,248,281		182,062	1,020,947		
Other liabilities		14,263,342		1,188,386	5,314,315		
Total liabilities		17,511,623		1,412,522	6,335,262		

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Net position					
Invested in capital assets, net of related debt		16,918,836		2,431,106	(160,181)
Restricted – expendable		1,574,675		134,039	-
Unrestricted (deficit)		6,474,152		544,141	(1,264,441)
Total net position	\$	24,967,663	===	3,109,286	(1,424,622)
Conden	sed S	Statements of I	ncome		
		Electric		Water	Communications
	Ι	Department	Γ	Department	Department
Operating revenues:		*		-	-
Electric sales	\$	10,771,761		-	-
Water sales		-		1,016,959	-
Communication sales		<u>-</u>			3,457,646
Total operating revenues	\$	10,771,761		1,016,959	3,457,646
Operating expenses:					
Production – power/water/programming	\$	7,199,101		161,834	1,530,602
Depreciation		1,402,589		159,346	366,352
Transmission and distribution		411,205		90,686	193,466
Other		1,720,299		328,944	969,982
Total operating expenses		10,733,194		740,810	3,060,402
Operating income		38,567		276,149	397,244
Non-operating revenues (expenses):					
Interest income		143,819		2,207	2,336
Interest expense		(323,958)		(39,662)	(208,865)
Other non-operating expenses		(231,442)		(24,612)	(180,111)
Total non-operating expenses		(411,581)		(62,067)	(386,640)
Net income (loss)	<u>\$</u>	(373,014)	_	214,082	10,604
Condensed State	emen	ts of Changes i	in Net Pos	ition	
			Communications		
		Department	Ι	Department	Department
Net position (deficit) beginning of year	\$	25,340,677	\$	2,895,204	\$ (1,435,226)
Net income (loss)	_	(373,014)	_	214,082	10,604
Net position end of year	\$	24,967,663	\$	3,109,286	\$ (1,424,622)
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Conde	nsed Statements of Cash	Flows		
	Electric	Water	Communications	
	Department	Department	Department	
Cash flows from operating activities	\$ 2,030,869	\$ 440,921	\$ 603,483	
Cash flows from non-capital				
Financing activities	(272,997)	(269)	-	
Cash flows from capital and related				
Financing activities	(7,139,292)	(796,828)	(599,398)	
Cash flows from investing activities	(153,014)	22,108	7,896	
Increase in cash	(5,534,434)	(334,068)	11,981	
Cash - beginning of year	15,926,669	983,708	1,081,859	
Cash – end of year	<u>\$ 10,392,235</u>	\$ <u>649,640</u>	\$ 1,093,840	

(15) Contingencies

The City is in the process of having a payroll tax audit conducted by the Internal Revenue Service. An issue has been raised during the audit process about the proper classification of volunteers, either as independent contractors or as City employees. This issue is being contested with the Internal Revenue Service and at this time, no reasonable estimate of any liability associated with the disputed issue is available.



BUDGETARY COMPARISON SCHEDULE OF RECEIPTS, DISBURSEMENTS, AND CHANGES IN BALANCES BUDGET AND ACTUAL (CASH BASIS) - ALL GOVERNMENTAL FUNDS AND PROPRIETARY FUNDS

OTHER INFORMATION

YEAR ENDED JUNE 30, 2013

		G	overnmental Funds Actual	Proprietary Funds Actual	Net
Receipts:			1101001	1 ICCAL	1100
	Property tax	\$	2,952,657	-	2,952,657
	Other city taxes		942,239	-	942,239
	Licenses and permits		38,544	-	38,544
	Use of money and property		184,343	1,350	185,693
	Intergovernmental		1,403,713	-	1,403,713
	Charges for service		371,428	1,569,588	1,941,016
	Special assessments		76,011	-	76,011
	Miscellaneous		281,006	-	281,006
			6,249,941	1,570,938	7,820,879
Disbursen Program	nents:				
Tiogram	Public safety		1,719,808	_	1,719,808
	Public works		1,764,657	_	1,764,657
	Health and social services		9,937	_	9,937
	Culture and recreation		1,088,260	_	1,088,260
	Community and economic development		271,367	_	271,367
	General government		661,605	_	661,605
	Debt service		520,892	_	520,892
	Capital projects		642,656	_	642,656
	Business type activities		-	1,576,690	1,576,690
			6,679,182	1,576,690	8,255,872
Excess (de	eficiency) of receipts over disbursements		(429,241)	(5,752)	(434,993)
Other fina	ncing sources		211,655	(206,227)	5,428
	receipts and other financing sources nder) disbursements and other financing uses		(217,586)	(211,979)	(429,565)
Balance be	eginning of year		4,917,998	1,590,874	6,508,872
Balance er	nd of year	\$	4,700,412	1,378,895	6,079,307

See accompanying independent auditor's report.

Budgeted A	Final	
		to Net
Original	Final	Variance
2,921,015	2,920,995	31,662
778,315	974,209	(31,970)
28,840	36,120	2,424
83,192	125,562	60,131
1,839,875	1,593,448	(189,735)
1,659,498	1,735,479	205,537
14,235	20,751	55,260
146,927	383,155	(102,149)
7,471,897	7,789,719	31,160
1,980,532	1,872,721	152,913
2,244,486	1,979,266	214,609
9,840	9,940	3
1,437,549	1,321,839	233,579
241,667	284,834	13,467
1,229,058	846,058	184,453
567,039	567,339	46,447
720,000	742,011	99,355
1,958,203	1,958,203	381,513
10,388,374	9,582,211	1,326,339
(2,916,477)	(1,792,492)	1,357,499
	-	5,428
(2,916,477)	(1,792,492)	1,362,927
4,487,239	6,508,872	
1,570,762	4,716,380	1,362,927

NOTES TO OTHER INFORMATION – BUDGETARY REPORTING

June 30, 2013

The budgetary comparison is presented as in accordance with Governmental Accounting Standards Board Statement No. 41 for governments with significant budgetary perspective differences resulting from not being able to present budgetary comparisons for the General Fund and each major Special Revenue Fund.

In accordance with the Code of Iowa, the City Council annually adopts a budget on the cash basis following required public notice and hearing for all funds except Internal Service Funds and Fiduciary Funds. The annual budget may be amended during the year utilizing similar statutorily prescribed procedures.

Formal and legal budgetary control is based upon nine major classes of disbursements known as functions, not by fund or fund type. These nine functions are: public safety, public works, health and social services, culture and recreation, community and economic development, general government, debt service, capital projects, and business type activities. Function disbursements required to be budgeted include disbursements for the General Fund, Special Revenue Funds, Debt Service Fund, Capital Projects Funds and Proprietary Funds. Although the budget document presents functional disbursements by fund, the legal level of control is at the aggregated function level, not by fund.

During the year, one budget amendment increased budgeted revenues by \$468,733 and decreased budgeted disbursements by \$655,252. The budget amendment is reflected in the final budgeted amounts. The City did not exceed the budget during the fiscal year ended June 30, 2013.

SCHEDULE OF CASH RECEIPTS, DISBURSEMENTS AND CHANGES IN CASH BALANCES NONMAJOR GOVERNMENTAL FUNDS AS OF AND FOR THE YEAR ENDED JUNE 30, 2013

	Special Revenue				
		TIF	Library	Grow Algona Trees	Grants
Receipts:	\$	43,960			
Property tax Use of money and property	Ф	43,960	1,673	5	-
Intergovernmental		42	1,073	J	26,973
mergovernmentar		44,002	1,673	5	26,973
Disbursements:	1	11,002	1,075		20,773
Public safety		-	_	_	_
Public works		-	_	-	25,672
Community and economic development		44,412	-	-	-
Debt Service		-	-	-	-
Capital Projects		-	-	-	
		44,412	-	-	25,672
Excess (deficiency) of receipts					
over (under) disbursements		(410)	1,673	5	1,301
Other financing sources (uses):					
Operating transfers in		-	-	-	-
Operating transfers out		-	-	<u>-</u>	-
Net change in cash balance		(410)	1,673	5	1,301
Balance beginning of year		8,636	49,543	502	(4,277)
Balance end of year	\$	8,226	51,216	507	(2,976)
Cash Basis Fund Balance					
Nonspendable	\$	-	-	-	
Restricted for:					
Debt service		-	-	-	-
Capital projects		-	-	-	-
Other purposes		8,226	51,216	507	- (2.076)
Unassigned		-	-	-	(2,976)
	\$	8,226	51,216	507	(2,976)

Special Revenue			Permane	nt	
Police Pension	Capital Projects	Debt Service	Cemetery	Library	Total
29,597	_	349,403	_	_	422,960
428	364	356	2,800	_	5,668
-	-	-	-,000	_	26,973
30,025	364	349,759	2,800	-	455,601
29,595	_	_	_	_	29,595
-	_	_	_	_	25,672
_	_	_	_	_	44,412
_	-	520,892	_	_	520,892
_	642,656	-	_	_	642,656
29,595	642,656	520,892	-	-	1,263,227
430	(642,292)	(171,133)	2,800	-	(807,626)
-	73,099	224,769	-	-	297,868
	(28,111) 44,988	224,769		<u>-</u>	(28,111) 269,757
					200,707
430	(597,304)	53,636	2,800	-	(537,869)
96,002	755,876	22,282	49,050	140,000	1,117,614
96,432	158,572	75,918	51,850	140,000	579,745
-	-	-	51,850	140,000	191,850
		75.010			77.010
-	150 570	75,918	-	-	75,918
06 422	158,572	-	-	-	158,572
96,432	-	-	-	-	156,381 (2,976)
96,432	158,572	75,918	51,850	140,000	579,745
90,432	130,372	13,710	31,030	170,000	313,143

SCHEDULE OF CASH RECEIPTS, DISBURSEMENTS AND CHANGES IN CASH BALANCES NONMAJOR PROPRIETARY FUNDS AS OF AND FOR THE YEAR ENDED JUNE 30, 2013

	Storm		
	Sewer	Housing	Total
Receipts:			
Charges for service	128,051	33,465	161,516
	128,051	33,465	161,516
Disbursements:		_	
Operating	35,467	20,741	56,208
Total operating disbursements	35,467	20,741	56,208
Excess of receipts			
over disbursements	92,584	12,724	105,308
	92,584	12,724	105,308
Non-operating receipts (disbursements)			
Interest on investments	92	164	256
Capital expenditures	(141,242)		(141,242)
	(141,150)	164	(140,986)
Net change in cash balances	(48,566)	12,888	(35,678)
Balance beginning of year	22,674	154,147	176,821
Balance end of year	(25,892)	167,035	141,143
Cash Basis Fund Balance			
Unrestricted	(25,892)	167,035	141,143
	(25,892)	167,035	141,143

SCHEDULE OF INDEBTEDNESS

YEAR ENDED JUNE 30, 2013

				Amount		
Obligation		Date of Issue	Interest Rates	Originally Issued		
General obligation bonds/notes:						
Fire truck		March 1, 2010	4.15%	180,000		
Capital Loa	n Notes 2012	May 27, 2012	0.40 - 2.00%	2,610,000		
LED Street	Lighting	June 30, 2012	0.00%	62,925		
Revenue bonds:						
Sewer rever	nue	October 13, 2010	3.00%	\$ 2,151,000		
				. , , , ,		

See accompanying independent auditor's report.

Bala	ance Beginning		Redeemed During	Balance End		Interest Due
	of Year	Issued During Year	Year	of Year	Interest Paid	and Unpaid
	68,443	_	68,443	_	710	_
	, -		,			
	2,610,000	-	285,000	2,325,000	28,244	-
	62,925	-	-	62,925	-	-
_	2 7 11 2 62		2.52.442		20.071	
\$	2,741,368	-	353,443	2,387,925	28,954	-
\$	1,740,903	_	80,000	1,660,903	52,227	_
4	1,7.0,202		23,300	1,000,200	z =,== r	
\$	1,740,903	-	80,000	1,660,903	52,227	-

BOND AND NOTE MATURITIES

JUNE 30, 2013

	GO (GO Capital Loan Issued May 27, 2012		LEI	LED AMU Loan		<u>.</u> 1	
Year	Issued			Issued	Issued June 30, 2012			
Ending	Interest		_	Interest				Total
June 30,	Rates	1	Amount	Rates		Amount	(GO Notes
2014	0.60	\$	330,000	0.00	\$	10,487	\$	340,487
2015	0.80		335,000	0.00		10,487		345,487
2016	1.00		340,000	0.00		10,487		350,487
2017	1.15		350,000	0.00		10,487		360,487
2018	1.30		350,000	0.00		10,487		360,487
2019	1.50		350,000	0.00		10,490		360,490
2020	1.75		135,000	0.00		-		135,000
2021	2.00		135,000	0.00		-		135,000
	•	\$	2,325,000	_	\$	62,925		2,387,925

	Sewer Revenue Note					
Year	Issued (Oct 13, 2010				
Ending	Interest					
June 30,	Rates	Amount				
2014	3.00	83,000				
2015	3.00	86,000				
2016	3.00	89,000				
2017	3.00	92,000				
2018	3.00	95,000				
2019	3.00	98,000				
2020	3.00	101,000				
2021	3.00	104,000				
2022	3.00	107,000				
2023	3.00	111,000				
2024	3.00	115,000				
2025	3.00	118,000				
2026	3.00	122,000				
2027	3.00	126,000				
2028	3.00	130,000				
2029	3.00	134,000				
2030	3.00	139,000				
2031	3.00	143,000				
	•	\$ 1,993,000				

See accompanying independent auditor's report.

SCHEDULE OF RECEIPTS BY SOURCE AND DISBURSEMENTS BY FUNCTION - ALL GOVERNMENTAL FUNDS

FOR THE TEN YEARS ENDED JUNE 30:

		2013		2012		2011	2010	2009	2008	2007	2006	2005	2004
Receipts													
Property tax	\$	2,908,697	\$	2,829,126	\$	2,811,560	2,539,420	2,427,831	2,348,778	2,345,875	2,333,853	2,220,318	2,136,239
Tax increment financing collections		43,960		70,701		57,154	97,021	165,357	76,675	78,557	56,343	49,579	27,690
Other city tax		942,239		799,088		888,095	796,892	831,293	845,597	802,527	710,103	692,992	530,389
Licenses and permits		38,544		33,571		27,437	32,830	23,795	37,173	35,972	29,319	30,038	27,685
Use of money and property		184,343		134,016		122,388	144,682	175,501	255,610	246,927	189,380	145,867	104,994
Intergovernmental		1,403,713		1,420,647		1,574,372	1,454,755	1,555,051	1,525,121	1,617,236	1,694,951	1,062,995	1,140,362
Charges for service		371,428		480,143		325,814	285,298	363,649	341,674	292,661	309,657	273,012	278,419
Special assessments		76,011		16,477		8,872	692	757	-	867	1,304	1,261	12,951
Miscellaneous		281,006		217,474		412,091	150,740	183,547	205,401	238,570	211,847	275,771	287,892
	\$	6,249,941	\$	6,001,243	\$	6,227,783	5,502,330	5,726,781	5,636,029	5,659,192	5,536,757	4,751,833	4,546,621
Disbursements													
Operating:	¢.	1 710 000	¢.	1 425 570	¢.	1 476 767	1 270 000	1 207 777	1 202 407	1 102 000	1 117 200	1 114 164	1 000 240
Public safety	\$	1,719,808	3	1,435,578	3	1,476,767	1,278,908	1,296,767	1,202,407	1,193,898	1,117,298	1,114,164	1,099,348
Public works		1,764,657		1,909,509		1,967,196	1,390,527	1,488,279	1,158,560	2,115,829	1,350,070	953,509	1,280,864
Health and social services		9,937		9,837		9,836	9,835	9,922	8,513	8,536	8,715	8,777	8,643
Culture and recreation		1,088,260		1,246,870		1,229,391	2,284,343	1,237,609	1,161,790	1,101,488	1,238,448	1,071,059	1,038,213
Community and economic development		271,367		122,506		204,887	247,162	377,632	773,642	226,215	809,924	490,037	126,692
General government		661,605		698,826		665,255	784,199	680,519	564,402	501,743	471,960	442,872	548,522
Debt service		520,892		286,575		429,332	405,343	406,113	401,195	395,745	425,935	461,951	405,699
Capital projects	•	642,656	¢	74,199	¢.	245,709	177,795	5 406 941	10,443	195,709	507,361	1,339,544	1,314,552
	\$	6,679,182	\$	5,783,900	\$	6,228,373	6,578,112	5,496,841	5,280,952	5,739,163	5,929,711	5,881,913	5,822,533

See accompanying independent auditor's report.



SCHEDULE OF FINANCIAL INFORMATION (UNAUDITED) June 30, 2013

	January 1, 2011 Valuations (1	taxes paya	able July 1, 2012 to June	30, 2013)	
	•	* *	•		Taxable Value
		1	00% Actual Value		(with Rollback)
Reside	ential	\$	207,939,066	\$	109,826,117
Comn	nercial		70,934,450		71,993,285
Indust	rial		25,068,083		25,078,083
Railro	ad		1,462,734		1,462,734
Utiliti	es		2,570,902		2,570,902
Gross	valuation		307,975,235		210,931,121
Less n	nilitary exemption		(759,320)		(759,320)
Net va	luation	\$	307,215,915	\$	210,171,801
	crement (used to compute debt e levies and constitutional mit)		1,058,835		1,058,835
Taxed	separately				
	gricultural land gricultural buildings		1,146,313		687,029
	as and electricity utility property		2,521,942		2,521,942
	2011 Gross Taxab	le Valuati	on by Class of Property		
	2011 51035 14740	io raidall	on of class of froperty		Percent Total
Reside	ential	\$	109,826,117		52.07%
	nercial, Industrial, Utility*	Ψ.	99,642,270		47.24%
Railro			1,462,734		.69%
	otal gross taxable valuation	\$	210,931,121		100.00%

 $^{^{*}}$ Includes gas and electric utility property, but excludes TIF increment, agricultural land, and agricultural buildings.

SCHEDULE OF FINANCIAL INFORMATION (UNAUDITED) June 30, 2013

TREND OF VALUATIONS

Assessment	Payable	100% Actual	Taxable Valuation	TIF
Year	Fiscal Year	Valuation	(with Rollback)	Increment
2001	2002-03	207,007,532	138,858,537	-0-
2002	2003-04	211,020,084	140,989,805	961,789
2003	2004-05	233,517,198	147,382,559	1,637,765
2004	2005-06	239,356,724	151,498,721	1,742,646
2005	2006-07	242,328,824	149,283,934	2,417,969
2006	2007-08	246,806,639	152,910,185	2,435,229
2007	2008-09	269,385,874	160,425,731	5,308,825
2008	2009-10	276,104,066	170,491,449	2,976,528
2009	2010-11	304,558,329	191,959,012	1,735,178
2010	2011-12	313,169,791	203,067,551	2,217,349
2011	2012-13	304,528,219	204,084,859	1,433,762
2012	2013-14	307,975,235	210,931,121	1,058,835

The 100% Actual Valuations, before rollback, include agricultural land and buildings, TIF increment and gas and electric valuation. The Taxable Valuations, with the rollback and after the reduction of military exemption includes gas and electric valuation and excludes agricultural land and buildings and TIF increment. Iowa cities certify operating levies against taxable value excluding TIF increment, and debt service levies are certified against taxable value including TIF increment.

LARGER TAXPAYERS

	Type of	01/01/12	01/01/12
Taxpayer	Property/Business	Actual Valuation	Taxable Valuation
Snap-On Tools	Industrial & Agricultura	6,390,609	6,065,425
Pioneer Hi-Bred Corn Co.	Industrial	5,679,591	5,395,611
Druggists Mutual Insurance Co.	Commercial	3,783,471	3,594,297
Hjelmeland Family, LP	Commercial & Resident	ial 3,138,862	2,981,922
Sears, Roebuck and Co.	Commercial	2,736,864	2,600,022
Hormel & Co.	Industrial & Commercia	1 2,217,719	2,106,834
Flint Hills Resources, LP	Industrial & Commercia	1 2,215,855	2,105,063
Evang Luth Good Samaritan Society	Residential	2,135,628	2,135,628
Algona Medical Clinic LLC	Commercial	1,975,143	1,876,386
SBEMCO International	Industrial	1,931,319	1,834,753

SCHEDULE OF FINANCIAL INFORMATION (UNAUDITED) June 30, 2013

DIRECT DEBT General Obligation Debt

			Principal	
Date of	Original		Final	Outstanding
Issue	Amount	Purpose	Maturity	as of 06/30/13
May 2012	2,610,000	Street Improvement/Refunding	Jun 2021	2,325,000
June 2012	62,925	LED Street Lighting	Jun 2019	62,925
Subtotal				2.387.925

Revenue Debt

The City has revenue debt outstanding payable solely from sewer revenues. This debt is not subject to the City's debt limit. The balance outstanding is as follows:

					Principal
Date of	Original			Final	Outstanding
Issue	Amount	Purpose	Security	Maturity	as of 06/30/13
Oct 2010	2,151,000	Sewer bond	Sewer revenue	Oct 2030	1,660,903

INDIRECT GENERAL OBLIGATION DEBT

			General	City's
	01/01/12	Percent	Obligation	Proportionate
	Taxable Valuation	in City	Debt	Share
Kossuth County	1,147,307,980	15.56%	-	-
Algona Community School District	518,898,100	36.20%	-	-
Iowa Lakes Community College	1,033,169,281	3.88%	-	
City share of total overlapping debt				

DEBT RATIOS

	General	Debt/Actual	
	Obligation	Market Value	Debt / 5,508
	Debt	(\$211,230,636)	Population
General Obligation Debt	2,387,925	1.13%	433.54
City's share of overlapping debt	-	-0-%	-0-

TAX RATES

	FY 08-09	FY 09-10	FY 10-11	FY 11-12	FY 12-13	FY 13-14
	/\$1,000	/\$1,000	/\$1,000	/\$1,000	/\$1,000	/\$1,000
Kossuth County	5.99245	6.02397	5.82217	5.73605	5.26795	5.29693
Agricultural Extension	.08540	.08259	.07224	.06956	.06583	.06294
Hospital	.33932	.32818	.33932	.33932	.33932	.33932
County Assessor	.31187	.31975	.36632	.48113	.32189	.32189
State of Iowa	.00350	.00350	.00340	.00320	.00330	.00330
Algona Comm School District	11.03732	12.37567	12.38999	12.26228	11.76000	10.86363
Area II Community College	.73979	.75850	.78134	.76886	.76795	1.05055
City of Algona	15.09369	14.81426	14.44359	14.03743	14.39940	13.78325
Total Tax Rate City Resident	33.60334	34.70642	34.21837	33.69783	32.92564	31.72181

Independent Auditor's Report on Internal Control over Financial Reporting and on Compliance and Other Matters Based on an Audit of Financial Statements Performed in Accordance with *Government Auditing Standards*

To the Honorable Mayor and Members of the City Council:

We have audited in accordance with U.S. generally accepted auditing standards and the standards applicable to financial audits contained in the *Government Auditing Standards* issued by the Comptroller General of the United States, the financial statements of the governmental activities, the business type activities, each major fund and the aggregate remaining fund information of the City of Algona, Iowa, as of and for the year ended June 30, 2013, and the related notes to financial statements, which collectively comprise the City's basic financial statements, and have issued our report thereon dated February 12, 2014. Our report expressed unmodified opinions on the financial statements which were prepared on the basis of cash receipts and disbursements, a basis of accounting other than U.S. generally accepted accounting principles.

Internal Control Over Financial Reporting

In planning and performing our audit of the financial statements, we considered the City of Algona's internal control over financial reporting to determine the audit procedures appropriate in the circumstances for the purpose of expressing our opinions on the financial statements, but not for the purpose of expressing an opinion on the effectiveness of the City's internal control. Accordingly, we do not express an opinion on the effectiveness of the City of Algona's internal control.

Our consideration of internal control was for the limited purpose described in the preceding paragraph and was not designed to identify all deficiencies in internal control that might be material weaknesses or significant deficiencies and, therefore, material weaknesses or significant deficiencies may exist that were not identified. However, as described in the accompanying Schedule of Findings, we identified deficiencies in internal control we consider to be material weaknesses and significant deficiencies.

A deficiency in internal control exists when the design or operation of a control does not allow management or employees, in the normal course of performing their assigned functions, to prevent or detect and correct misstatements on a timely basis. A material weakness is a deficiency, or a combination of deficiencies, in internal control such that there is a reasonable possibility a material misstatement of City of Algona's financial statements will not be prevented or detected and corrected on a timely basis. We consider the deficiency described in I-A-13 in the Schedule of Findings to be a material weakness.

Compliance and Other Matters

As part of obtaining reasonable assurance about whether City of Algona's financial statements are free of material misstatement, we performed tests of its compliance with certain provisions of laws, regulations, contracts and grant agreements, non-compliance with which could have a direct and material effect on the determination of financial statement amounts. However, providing an opinion on compliance with those provisions was not an objective of our audit and, accordingly, we do not express such an opinion. The results of our tests disclosed no instances of non-compliance or other matters that are required to be reported under *Government Auditing Standards*. However, we noted certain immaterial instances of non-compliance or other matters which are described in Part IV of the accompanying Schedule of Findings.

Comments involving statutory and other legal matters about the City's operations for the year ended June 30, 2013 are based exclusively on knowledge obtained from procedures performed during our audit of the financial statements of the City. Since our audit was based on tests and samples, not all transactions that might have had an impact on the comments were necessarily audited. The comments involving statutory and other legal matters are not intended to constitute legal interpretations of those statutes.

City of Algona's Responses to Findings

The City of Algona's responses to the findings identified in our audit are described in the accompanying Schedule of Findings. The City of Algona's responses were not subjected to the auditing procedures applied in the audit of the financial statements and, accordingly, we express no opinion on them.

Purpose of this Report

The purpose of this report is solely to describe the scope of our testing of internal control and compliance and the result of that testing and not to provide an opinion on the effectiveness of the City's internal control or on compliance. This report is an integral part of an audit performed in accordance with *Government Auditing Standards* in considering the City's internal control and compliance. Accordingly, this communication is not suitable for any other purpose.

We would like to acknowledge the many courtesies and assistance extended to us by personnel of the City of Algona during the course of our audit. Should you have any questions concerning any of the above matters, we shall be pleased to discuss them with you at your convenience.

T.P. Anderson & Company, P.C.

February 12, 2014

SCHEDULE OF FINDINGS

Year Ended June 30, 2013

Part I: Findings Related to the Financial Statements

INSTANCES OF NON-COMPLIANCE:

No matters were noted.

INTERNAL CONTROL DEFICIENCIES:

I-A-13 <u>Segregation of Duties</u> – One important aspect of internal control is the segregation of duties among employees to prevent an individual employee from handling duties which are incompatible.

<u>Condition</u>- We noted that the cash receipt function and the recording of the cash receipts is on occasion handled by the same person. There is a lack of segregation of duties with respect to cash receipts and disbursements.

<u>Cause</u> – The City of Algona is not a large municipality; therefore their staff includes a small number of office employees.

<u>Effect</u> – The lack of a proper segregation of duties is a material weakness that may result in a material misstatement of the financial statements, and provides greater opportunity for fraudulent activity to go undetected.

<u>Recommendation</u> - We realize that with a limited number of office employees, segregation of duties is difficult. However, the City should review its operating procedures to obtain the maximum internal control possible under the circumstances.

<u>Response</u> - We believe that we are close to the maximum degree of segregation of duties possible with the limited number of office employees. We will investigate additional procedures to cost-effectively improve internal control.

<u>Conclusion</u> - The City should segregate duties to the extent possible with existing personnel and utilize administrative personnel to provide additional control through review of financial transactions and reports.

SCHEDULE OF FINDINGS

Year Ended June 30, 2013

Part II: Other Findings Related to Statutory Reporting:

- II-A-13 Certified Budget Disbursements did not exceed the budget for the year ending June 30, 2013.
- II-B-13 <u>Questionable Disbursement</u> We noted no questionable disbursements in regard to the requirements of public purpose as defined in an Attorney General's opinion dated April 25, 1979.
- II-C-13 <u>Travel Expense</u> No disbursements of City money for travel expense of spouses of City officials or employees were noted.
- II-D-13 <u>Business Transactions</u> Chapter 362.5(10) of the Code of Iowa prohibits any city officer or employee from having a contract or job of work with the City. Exceptions are made to this regulation if the total annual purchase is less than \$1,500, or if the work was contracted under a competitive bid. Business transactions between the City and City officials or employees are detailed as follows:

Name, Title, and		
Business Connection	Transaction Description	Amount
	_	
Rick Remy, Council Member		
Owner of Sign Works, Ink	Screen printing and supplies	\$ 5,030

<u>Condition</u> – The transactions with Council Member Remy appear to be in violation of the Iowa Code, and are not covered under either of the aforementioned exceptions.

<u>Cause</u> – There are a limited number of merchants who are able to provide screen printing services.

<u>Effect</u> – Failure to bid the work properly may result in the City paying too much for a service, thereby failing to adequately fulfill their obligation to expend public money properly.

<u>Recommendation</u> – The City should consult with their attorney to see what action, if any, needs to be taken to remedy this situation.

<u>Response</u> – We will consult with our attorney.

Conclusion - Response accepted.

- II-E-13 <u>Bond Coverage</u> Surety bond coverage of City officials and employees is in accordance with statutory provisions. The amount of coverage should be reviewed annually to insure that the coverage is adequate for current operations.
- II-F-13 <u>Council Minutes</u> No transactions were found that we believe should have been approved in the Council minutes but were not.
- II-G-13 <u>Deposits and Investments</u> We noted no instances of noncompliance with the deposit and investment provisions of Chapter 12B and 12C of the Code of Iowa and the City's investment policy.
- II-H-13 Revenue Bonds and Notes The City has complied with the revenue bond and note resolutions.

SCHEDULE OF FINDINGS

Year Ended June 30, 2013

- II-I-13 <u>Telecommunications Utility</u> Algona Municipal Utilities, a component unit of the City, has been audited separately and its financial statements are under a separate cover. The report dated May 21, 2013 indicated that no instances of non-compliance with Chapter 388.10 of the Code of Iowa were noted.
- II-J-13 <u>Financial Condition</u> A cash basis fund balance should not have a deficit fund balance in order to be considered in sound financial position.

Condition – The Grants Fund had a deficit balance at June 30, 2013 of \$2,976.

<u>Cause</u> – The timing of grant reimbursements causes a deficit fund balance in the Grant Fund from time to time.

<u>Effect</u> – The City reports on its financial statements a fund that does not appear to be in sound financial position.

<u>Recommendation</u> – The City should investigate all alternatives available to eliminate the deficit fund balance.

<u>Response</u> – Many grants the City receives do not correspond within the City's fiscal year. Depending upon the grant and when the City is reimbursed, there may be a deficiency. We will review alternatives to eliminate the deficit.

Conclusion - Response accepted.